HE BROKE DOWN

And Told All He Knew of the Railway Robberies.

Thousands of Dollars' Worth of Merchandise Taken From Trains.

A Robber Boxed Up and Shipped as Freight-When the Train Was in Mo-tion He Would Emerge From His Box, and Everything Was His.

CHICAGO, Oct. 7.—By a bit of detective work three men, who are accused of having robbed the railroad companies running out of Chicago of thou-sands of dollars' worth of merchandise, were Tuesday afternoon locked up at the Central police station.

The men arrested are W. T. Johnson, G. W. Parker and J. C. Miller. The arrests were made by special agents of the Chicago and Northwestern Rail-

During the past year nearly every railroad in Chicago has been victim-

Detectives were baffled in their efforts to discover the thieves, or trace the stolen goods. Tuesday evening J. C. Miller, one of the prisoners, broke down and told all he knew of the con-

He said he had been employed by Johnson. He had been placed in a large packing case at various times and shipped as household furniture. He was always supplied with food,

water and candles, and when the car in which he was shipped was well on its way he would open the case in which he was shipped and, with the aid of candles, would make an investigation of the contents of the car.

Having selected such goods as he wanted, he would fill the large case in which he was secreted, and which was always billed to Johnson.

This done, he would carefully nail up the box, and then, with saws which he carried for the purpose, cut a hole in the bottom of the car. At the first stop of the train he would drop through the hole and make his way back to Chicago.

Runaway mits Street Cars.

Portsmouth, O., Oct. 7.—A collision Monday night between a runaway horse and an electric car resulted in the fatal injury of Mrs. Craigmiles. The horse plunged immediately in front of the motor.

Sues the Railway Company for Damages. Nonwalk, O., Oct. 7.—John Loux has sued the Columbus, Sandusky & Hocking railroad for \$4,000 damages. He stop at Frank Station. He jumped and

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As a rule, they are coined at the United States Mints-that is one

way. Another way is to MAKE DOLLARS BY SAVING, and that

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\$8.00 Men's finely made all wool Clay Worsted, Thibet and Dress Suits, embracing Plaid and Check Cheviots, Unfinished Worsted

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Children's Suits!

Children's all wool Blue Jersey Suits, guaranteed fast \$1.75 Children's double breasted, all wool suits, well made in colors.

\$3.75 Children's very fine suits. double breasted, Sailor and Reefer suits, latest fall styles.

Men's Heavy Underwear!

Men's Camel's hair, fleece lined and natural wool, fancy ribbed 50c Men's underwear, finest all wool and Wrights Genuine 75c in all colors.

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GEORGIA ELECTION.

The End of an Exceedingly Heated and ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 7.—The contest

between the democrats and populists of Georgia for control of the state gov ernment was brought to an end Wed-nesday, when the people of the state voted for governor and other state officers. The campaign has been exceedingly heated, and in many respects in-

teresting, and predictions concerning the probable result differ widely. Two years ago Gov. Atkinson beat Judge Hines 24,161 votes. Chairman Clay, of the democratic state committee, believes that the plurality will be over 30,000. Chairman Cunningham, of the populist state committee, predicts the election of his ticket, placing

the plurality at from 10,000 to 25,000. Chairman Buck, of the republican state committee, gives out the prediction that the democratic plurality will be greatly reduced and may not be any plurality at all.

Chairman Buck's recent circular urging all loyal republicans to vote for Wright, the populist candidate. and cut down the democratic plurality, gave the contest in Georgia a national character, which it did not otherwise

It is believed the democratic plurality will certainly not fall beneath that of two years ago, while it may go considerably higher. How much of a figure Col. Buck's instructions may cut it is impossible to say. Leading republicans believe that it will take 10,000 or 20,000 votes away from the democrats which they would otherwise receive. Georgia will, no doubt, re-elect Gov. Atkinson and the legislature to be chosen will send Charles F. Crisp to the senate.

A Democrat Arraigus Republicans. CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 7 .- In the common pleas court Tuesday Arnold Green, the leading democrat of the county, complained that the republican committee is herding allens for naturaliza-tion. Judge Disette, republican, listened to the complaint, but he said that he could do nothing. Green says that he will not be downed.

A Heartless Mother.

MARION, O., Oct 7.—Mrs. Christina Ottimiller Monday morning brought her seven-year-old daughter to the probate court and told Deputy Burke to keep her. The child was her first husband's. The little girl was nearly starved. She was sent to the infirm-Bry.

Watson Accepts the Nomination. ATLANTA, Gn., Oct. 7 .- Tom Watson has dictated a letter accepting the populist nomination for vice president. It is addressed to Chairman Butler, and is a vigorous, incisive document. was a passenger and his train did not Mr. Watson will revise the letter and make it public, probably on Wednes-

The BUCKEYE.

made up in Fly front sack coat and vest.

and trimmed and perfect fitting.

trimmings and workmanship.

HE IS WILLING.

Arthur Sewall, of Maine, Accepts the Nomination

For the Vice Presidency by the National Democratic Convention.

He Presents His Views on the Money Question—We Must Face a Crisis More Serious Than Any Since the War—To Which Party Shall We Turn?

BATH, Me., Oct. 7 .- Arthur Sewall Tuesday afternoon gave out his letter of acceptance of the democratic nomination for vice president. Among other things Mr. Sewall says:

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Our people now face a crisia. A crisis more serious than any since the war. To what party shall they turn in their dire emergency? It is true that the present crisis may not involve all cqually: that there are those who do not suffer now and who may not suffer should the crisis threatened by the gold standard come on in all its glory. Human selfishness makes those deat to all appeals, but to these, fortunately, the democratic party has never needed to appeal to win its buttles, nor does it now. We are told that the country has prospered under the present monetary standard; that its wealth has enormously increased. Granted. But in whose hands? In the hands of the tollers, the producers, the farmers, the miners, the fabricators in the factories, the creators of the nation's wealth, in peace, its defenders. Have they prosperity which was theirs so late as even two years ago. I deny if They deny it None affirm it, save those whose interest it is to do so, whose profits would diminish as prosperity returns to those in whose distress they thrive. All is right between capital and capital. The best money in the world is none too good for those who have got it.

But how is it that the majority of the people who got it to get: how is it with those whe must buy this best money in the world with

who got it to get: how is it with those wha must buy this best money in the world with the products of their own labor? These are the people for whom the democratic party, would legislate. What is the best money! the people for whom the democratic party would legislate. What is the best money! How also can you increase labor's purchasing power but by increasing the price of labor's products? Is it a fair measure to value that in our great producing section, when ten millions of people must be paid dollar for dollar for the products of the soil and the wages of all mine owners at the same ratio. Under the gold standard the appreciation of the best money in the world, has increased the wealth of the rich and for the same rason has increased the debt of the debtor. So under the procent standard is must continue to be. With these object lessons about us, little need have we for history and statistics and the studies of scoolars. Little satisfaction, it is to us, that they have warned us long since of the deadly ovil of the gold standard. It has brought us at least to the parting of the ways.

Where shall the people go? In the way that has led to their enslavement or into that which offers them the chance to regain individual liberty, lasting prosperity and happiness? Let not our opponents charge us with creating class with distinctions. As for the republicans, they are already created by the republican policy of the last 30 years; created

creating class with distinctions. As for the republicans, they are already created by the republican policy of the last 30 years: created by the very system we would now overthrow and destroy. Nor do we raise a sectional issue. The nomination you tendered repeals the charge. None know better than I that this nomination is meant as no personal tribute, but as an assurance that our narry is a non-sectional party. meant as no personal tribute, but as an assurance that our party is a non-sectional party.

Not by our policy, but only by the continuance of gold standard can sectionalism be revived. Neither shall our opponents be permitted to terrify the people by predictions
that temporary disturbance or panic will
come from the policy we propose. The American people will be loyal to the nation's
money, will stand behind it and maintain it at
whatever value they there-selves may put upon whatever value they them selves may put upon it. Once before in the present generation have our people been called to face a momen-tous crisis. What then, said Mr. Lincoln, the chosen leader of the plain people of the land. Was he awed by threats or weakened by the wily persuasion of false friends, who pleaded for compromise with wrong! His answer was: "If our sense of duty forbids this, then let us stand by our duty fearlessly and effectively."
Let us be diverted by none of these sophistical contrivances wherewith we are so industriously placed and be laborers; contriv ances such as groping for some middle ground between the right and the wrong reversing the divine rule and called not the sinners, but

the righteous to repentance, such as invocations to Washington, imploring men to say what Washington said and undo what Wash The free and unlimited coinage of silver is the sole remedy with which to check the wrongs of to-day; to undue the ruin of the past and for our inspiration we have the jus-tice of our cause and those cherished prin-

tice of our cause and those cherished prin-ciples of Jefferson and Jackson, which shall be our guide on our return to power.

Equal and exact justice to all men: abso-lute acquiescence in decisions of the majority, the vital principles of the republic, the honest payment of our debts, and sacred preservation of the public faith.

Profoundly sensible of the high honor of

the nomination you tender.

I am truly yours, ARTHUR SEWALL

THIS MONTH

Important Developments in Connection With Venezuela Will Occur.

London, Oct. 7 .- Information has been furnished to the United Associated Presses that no communication has passed between Great Britain and the United States on the subject of ar bitration in over a month. Important developments in connection with Venezuela, however, will probably occur within the month of October. A settlement of the dispute is by no means imminent, and it is not true, as has been alleged, that Great Britain is making concessions to Venezuela. Much depends upon Mr. Chamberlain. secretary of state for the colonies, who sailed from New York for England on September 30, though his desires in the matter are subject to the approval of Lord Salisbury. The latter, the for-eign office officials say, is hopeful that the arbitration question will be soon solved, but he is at present very much occupied with the eastern question.

Connecticut Election Returns. HARTFORD, Ct., Oct. 7.—Returns from each of the 163 towns that voted Monday show that 100 went republican, 22 democratic and 31 divided. A number of the divided towns were really car-ried by the republicans, as the contest was on the board of selectmen. Monday's results show a republican gain of 11 towns.

Treasury Gold Reserve Washington, Oct. 7.—The treasury gold reserve at the close of business Tuesday stood at \$125,386,089. The day's withdrawals at New York were

WAR TALK.

The St. Jaroes Gazette Says There is "No Use in Crying Pence"—Venezuels's Attitude Toward England is Insulting.

LONDON, Oct. 7.—The St. James Gazette devotes a leading article to dis-

cussion of the Venezuelan situation, in which the paper insists that no prog-ress whatever has been made toward a settlement of England's dispute with Venezuela. The paper recites the Venezuelan affronts and outrages perpetrated upon English officials, and concludes by saying:

If such insults and outrages had been addressed to the meanest sister republic in South America there would have been war long ago. Any other European power would not have stood it a week, yet we sit with folded hands and permit one slap in the face to succeed another. We hope most sincerely that the negotiations with the United States will result peacefully, but noth-ing is to be gained by shutting our eyes and crying "Peace" where there is no

The Gazette adds that Venezuela's attitude in regarding the construction of a railway to the Barima as a violation of Venezuelan territory, is an insult

ON HIS DEATH-BED

He Confessed That He, and Not His Brother, Was the Guilty One.
COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 7.—Mrs. C. Turner, of Detroit, called at the state prison Wednesday to make a peculiar request of the board of managers. She wants L. A. Packard, who is serving a 15-year sentence for assault in Fulton county, released on the following statement:

She says her first husband's name was Lucien Albert Packard. He wa a twin brother of the prisoner, whose name is Louis Alfred Packard. Her husband died in 1892, and she says that he told her on his death bed that he committed the crime for which his brother is serving a sentence.

ENGINES COLLIDE.

Two Killed and Four Persons Seriously Injured in Consequence.

ALBANY, Ore., Oct. 7 .-- Two engines collided on the Southern Pacific at Green's station early Tuesday morning, killing two persons and injuring four others. The dead: Fireman Mc Gonigle, of Portland; Brakeman Toigh The injured: Engineer Porter, Engineer McCauley, D. R. Wall and Brake-man Lewis. The collision was due to a misunderstanding of orders.

Miners Gathering at Columbus. met here Wednesday afternoon, came in slowly. A light attendance is promised. The siners seem to be fully as determined against reduction of wages as the mine operatoss are that there must be a reduction, or they will shut down their mines. It is likely that they will not agree and that the mines will be shut down for a time at least. It will throw about 15,000 miners out of employment.

Two Killed and One Injured. HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Oct. 7.—Ninety Short line, a branch of the C. & O. railroad, the engineer lost control of his grade, and the engine and 12 cars were totally wrecked. Engineer S. P. Brown and Fireman W. I. Gordon were fatally injured. The conductor is in critical condition.

Killed by Her Lover.

girl was killed by her lover, John Frank, also an Italian. The affair occurred near Hillville, Pa., a short distance from here. Frank asked the girl to marry him and she refused. then shot her through the heart with a revolver and escaped.

Striking Quarrymen Will Cause Trouble. ELYBIA, O., Oct. 7.—The striking quarrymen at Grafton armed themclves with clubs and stones and created some trouble. They are holding secret meetings and threaten to blow up the non-union men in their houses. The company is continuing work in the quarry.

Fire Losses Less Than Last Year: NEW YORK, Oct. 7 .- The Journal of Commerce says that the fire loss in the United States and Canada during September amounted to \$8,200,550. record of 1896 to date shows a total which is about 86,000,000 less than the figure of the same period of 1895.

A Victory for Hawkins. New York, Oct. 7.—The fight be-tween Del Hawkins, of California, and Joe Gans, of Baltimore, at the Bohemian Sporting club Tuesday night, resulted in a victory for Hawkins, who was given the decision at the end of the fifteenth round.

Took Too Much Morphine. Marion, Ind., Oct. 7 .- Mrs. John H. Vance, of this city, took an overdose of morphine to relieve neuralgia and died from the effects. The deceased was 45 years old and leaves a husband and

three children. Killed in an Election Riot.

ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 7.—In an election riot at Elberton Wednesday morning, Will Mayfield shot and killed Bud Sanders and escaped. Tom Wall shot and seriously wounded J. G. Swift, All are white.

Warren, O., Oct. 7.—Rev. Edwin Wakefield, a pioneer minister of north-ern Ohio, died at Greene Wenesday, aged 78 years. He leaves one son, Prof. E. B. Wakefield, of Hiram col-

A Tornado Reported in Oklahoma.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 7.—A disastrous tornado is reported south of Edmond. Okla., Wednesday morning, in which several persons were injured. Particulars difficult to obtain.



A cream of tarter baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.—Latest United States Government Food Report. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., New York.

BUCKEYE NEWS.

New and Interesting Happenings Within Our Borders.

STATE BOARD

Of Veterinary Examiners Decide That College Diplomas Will Not Admit of Practice.

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 7.-The state board of veterinary examiners met here Tuesday. The board has here-tofore honored all diplomas from rep-utable colleges without examining those presenting them. It has been found that some of the colleges held to be reputable by the board are not regarded as such by the State Associa-tion of Veterinary Physicians. Tues-day a new rule was adopted which requires all applicants for certificates to submit to an examination, whether or not they have diplomas from reputable schools. It will create a furore. The board elected officers for the year as follows: President, W. W. Miller, of the state board of agriculture; secretary, Prof. J. Delmers, of this city; treasurer, W. B. Smith, of Basil.

OBJECTIONS FILED

Against the Admission of the Sound Money Ticket on the Ballot. COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 7 .- The state democratic executive committee filed a protest against admitting the sound money or national democratic ticket to the ballot with the state supervisor of elections Tuesday. It is based on the ground that the name is so similar to that of the regular democratic party COLUMBUS, O., Oct 7.—Delegates to that it is likely to give rise to confuthe state convention of miners, which sion. There is a state law against sion. There is a state law against this. Secretary of State Taylor took the protest under consideration.

Ohlo's Poll Not Finished.

Columbus, O., Oct. 7.-Assistant Secretary Jennings, of the republican state executive committee, says that there is no truth in the statement sent out from Chicago to the effect that "the first poll of the state made by republicans showed a majority for Bryan." He says that there has been no complete poll of the state made by the committee, and he claims repubmiles east of here on the Quinnimont lican gains in the counties heard from. The Miners' Meeting.

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 7 .- General Manroad, said Tuesday of the meeting of coal operators and miners at Columbus Wednesday: "I believe that the men will see the folly of the position and live up to the agreement, providing for a cent differential. The price for min-Youngstown, O., Oct. 7 .- An Italian ing Ohio coal will be 45 cents, and if the men do not accept the scale they

will be locked out."
Found Her Husband Bead. ZANESVILLE, O., Oct. 7 .- When Mrs. Oliver II. Perry awoke Tuesday morning and shook her husband to waken him she was horrified to find that he was cold in death. Mr. Perry was 82 years of age.

Typhoid Fever Closes Schools

CAMBRIDGE, O., Oct. 7.-At Dyson, a village five miles south of here, the schools have been closed on account of the prevalence of typhoid fever. Every precaution is being taken to check the disease.

The Y. M. C. A. at Salem. SALEM, O., Oct. 7 .- The annual conference of the Western Reserve and

Pan-handle districts of the Y. M. G. A. will convene at Salem, O., October 9. Died of Apoplery. MIAMISBURG, O., Oct. 7 .- Dr. T. V.

the Citizens' national bank, died Tues- | fatally burned. day afternoon of apoplexy.

Arrival and Departure of Trains.

B. & O. S.W.

DEPART—8:00 a. m., 10:40 a. m., 2:00 pm 4:55
p. m., 7:00 p. m., 11:25 p. m.

ARRIVE—3:05 a. m., 8:10 a. m., 12:25, p. m., 4:35
p. m., 6:40, p. m., 8:55 p. m.

LEAVE. 2.10 p. m., 9:00, 4:60 a.m ARRIVE. 4:4', 12:15 p m. 7:80 a. m

C. &. M.

Z. & O.
LEAVE. 6:20 a. m., 2:40 p. m.
ARRIVE. 10:40 a. m., 5:55 p. m O. R. R. R. (Eastern Time.)

DELEGATIONS

From Syracuse, N. Y., and Lenawnee County, Mich., Call on McKinley. CANTON, O., Oct. 7.—In spite of the weather Tuesday was a lively day. The delegations from Syracuse, N. Y., and Lenawee county, Mich., which ar-rived about 5 o'clock in the afternoon, were among the most spirited that have made the pilgrimage to Canton. The Syracuse men came first and marched through a driving rain to Maj. McKinley's house and then back to the tabernacle to hear him speak. There were \$50 voters in the crowd.

The delegation from Michigan, numbering about 500, marched into the hall as the Syracuse visitors left. The Michigan men were farmers, and they made the auditorium ring with their lusty cheers.

A Light Vote in Florida,

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Oct. 7.-The election in Florida Tuesday passed of quietly, but the meager returns so far received indicate that a very light vote was cast. Only very meager returns are being received, as the count is exceedingly slow, owing to the length of the ballot. Official returns will not be in until Wednesday or next day, but estimates Tuesday night place the democratic majority at 20,000, and it man fell below that Grane. may fall below that figure.

Palmer-Buckner Ticket Indorsed.

JACKSON, Miss., Oct. 7.—The sound money convention Tuesday, at which 33 countles were represented, indorsed the Palmer-Buckner ticket and chose an electoral ticket. The Lynch and, Hill factions of the republicans met here Tuesday for the purpose of compromising on one state electoral ticket, but failed to agree.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Oct. 7.-The returns from Tuesday's election are coming in slowly, but enough is known to make it certain that the state has been carried by the democratic ticket by 10,000 to 12,000 plurality, showing a falling off in the democratic and republican vote. It is estimated that 50,000 votes were cast, 15,000 republican. 5,000 populist and 80,000 gold and silver democratic. The Australian ballot system puzzled all, and was the cause of republicans losing votes as the Negroes could not use it, while several hundred whites were unable to vote it.

To Test the Dana Law.

CINCINNATI. Oct. 7. -It can be stated ager Woodford, of the W. & L. E. rail- that there will be no suit here to test the Dana law, providing against the placing of names of candidates for the same office more than once on the Australian or official ballot until after the election in November. Then it is said a suit will be filed to test the constitutionality of the law.

Cracked the Sate.

BELLEFONTAINE, O., Oct. 7 .- At an early hour Tuesday morning the large general merchandise store of Mr. S. L. Horn, in Huntsville, was burglarized, the safe cracked and considerable money and goods taken. The thieves stole a fine blooded horse with phaeton from Mr. Anderson Neer and made their escape.

Steamer Runs on a Snag and Sluks GALLIPOLIS, O., Oct. 7.—The steamer

Columbia ran on a sunken snag near Red House, W. Va., Tuesday night. She broke in two and sank. All her passengers were landed safely. The boat belongs to the Kanawha Packet

Double Fatality From Coal Oil. LANCASTER, O., Oct. 7 .- In attempting to hurry a fire by pouring coal oil

into the stove from a lamp, Mrs. Jacob Lyons, aged 68 years, vice president of pear Pickerington, this county, were Strawn and four-year-old son, living

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